

**South-Western City Schools
Minutes – Regular Meeting
July 8, 2024**

The South-Western City School District Board of Education met in regular session on July 8, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. at the South-Western Career Academy (4750 Big Run South Rd. Grove City, OH 43123) with the following members present:

Denise D'Angelo Steele
Julie Liskany
Chris Boso

24-112 **Mrs. D'Angelo Steele moved** that the Board of Education approve the agenda for the July 8, 2024 regular meeting as presented.

Ms. Liskany seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

Mrs. D'Angelo Steele, Aye; Ms. Liskany, Aye; Mr. Boso, Aye.

Motion Carried

24-113 **Ms. Liskany moved** that the Board of Education approve the meeting minutes for the June 26, 2024 meeting as attached.

Mrs. D'Angelo Steele seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

Ms. Liskany, Aye; Mrs. D'Angelo Steele, Aye; Mr. Boso, Aye.

Motion Carried

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BOARD REPORTS

There were no Board Reports

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION RELATIVE TO AGENDA ITEMS

There was no public participation relative to agenda items.

24-114 **Ms. Liskany moved** that the Board of Education approve the Fiscal & Operational Management items as presented.

1. Return of Advances

It is recommended that the Board of Education authorize the Treasurer return advances as presented (See X-1).

[X-1.pdf \(246 KB\)](#)

2. Approval of Payment in Lieu of Transportation

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the payment in lieu of transportation list for the 2024-2025 school year as presented. (See X-2) (in Executive Content Area due to confidential student information) According to Section 3227.01 of the Ohio Revised Code, the minimum amount for school year 2024-2025 (50 percent of the average cost of pupil transportation for the previous school year has been determined by the State Department of Education in the amount of \$583.86. It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the payment in lieu of transportation to those residents who have applied and been approved to receive this reimbursement.

[X-2.pdf \(435 KB\)](#)

3. Approve Amended ESSER III Plan

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It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the amended Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund (ESSER) III Plan as presented. (See X-3)

[X-3.pdf \(106 KB\)](#)

4. Delegate Appointment for the Ohio School Boards Association Annual Business Meeting

Each year the Board of Education appoints a delegate and alternate to attend the annual business meeting of the Ohio School Boards Association at their Capital Conference. This year's business meeting is scheduled for November 11, 2024. It is recommended that the Board of Education appoint Mrs. Denise D'Angelo Steele as delegate and Mr. Chris Boso as alternate.

Mrs. D'Angelo Steele seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

Ms. Liskany, Aye; Mrs. D'Angelo Steele, Aye; Mr. Boso, Aye.

Motion Carried

24-115 Mr. Boso moved that the Board of Education approve the Students/School/Community items as presented.

1. Grove City High School Boys Soccer Team to Travel to Grove City Christian School

WHEREAS, the Grove City High School Boys Soccer Team wishes to conduct a team overnight retreat at Grove City Christian School; and

WHEREAS, the retreat is planned for August 9-10, 2024; and

WHEREAS, 45 students will be accompanied by three adult chaperones; and

WHEREAS, parents will be transporting students to and from the retreat and accommodations at Grove City Christian School; and

WHEREAS, trip expenses will be paid by boosters;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the South-Western City School District's Board of Education hereby authorizes the Grove City High School Boys Soccer Team to travel to Grove City Christian School.

Ms. Liskany seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

Mrs. D'Angelo Steele, Aye; Ms. Liskany, Aye; Mr. Boso, Aye.

Motion Carried

24-116 Mrs. D'Angelo Steele moved that the Board of Education approve the Personnel items as presented.

CERTIFICATED AND ADMINISTRATIVE RESIGNATIONS

1. Resignations - Regular

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location/Position</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Barbour, Elisabeth M.	BCES/3rd/4th Grade	8/18/24
Clemons, Cassidy D.	BCES/Intervention Spec	8/18/24

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Gantt, Gregory A. W.	WHS/Supervisor Athletics	7/31/24
Gilbert, Holly L.	GCHS/Asst. Principal	7/31/24
Grinstead, Amy E.	WFES/3rd Grade	8/18/24
Hayes, Robert T.	WHS/English	8/18/24
Hineline, Emily C.	TBD/TBD (New Hire)	6/26/24
Labbe, Victoria E.	BCES/2nd Grade	8/18/24
Lauttamus, Megan J.	GCHS/School Psychologist	8/11/24
Liu, Mallory P.	RAES/3rd Grade	8/18/24
Mix, Courtney M.	SES/4th Grade (New Hire)	6/28/24
Raulerson, Samantha N.	SES/3rd Grade	8/18/24
Rensi, Emily C.	FWIS/TESOL	8/18/24
Seitz, Marisa R.	DSC/Asst. Supv - Food Svcs	7/31/24
Sizemore, Grace E.	FWIS/Art	8/18/24
Smith, Ashley F.	TBD/TBD (New Hire)	6/23/24
Smith, Bradley S.	HCIS/Music	8/18/24
Smith, Rachell K.	FMS/TESOL	8/18/24
Starr, Kelsey A.	PLES/Intervention Spec	8/18/24
VanAutreve, Abby J.	WFES/1st Grade	8/18/24

2. Resignations - Substitutes

<u>Name</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Moore, Michael A.	6/11/24

ADMINISTRATIVE EMPLOYMENT

1. Appointments

JECH, MICHAEL S. - It is recommended that Mr. Jech be issued a two-year contract as Supervisor Athletics at Westland High School effective August 1, 2024 and that he be placed on the Administrative Salary Schedule SU2 at \$74,870.00 (260 days).

KIMBLETON, BRITTANY A. - It is recommended that Ms. Kimbleton be issued a two-year contract as Assistant Principal at Grove City High School effective July 8, 2024 and that she be placed on the Administrative Salary Schedule APTS at \$110,360.00 (225 days)

CERTIFICATED EMPLOYMENTS

1. Regular Meeting

In accordance with the provisions of Section 3319.07 of the Ohio Revised Code, the following teachers are nominated for a one-year contract effective as indicated, to be paid in accordance with the salary schedule adopted by the South-Western City Schools Board of Education at 100% unless otherwise indicated. This employment is contingent upon subsequent receipt by the Board of a report from BCII which complies with the provisions of ORC 3319.31 and 3319.39(B)(3).

<u>Name</u>	<u>Salary Code</u>	<u>Start Date</u>	<u>Replacement For/Assignment</u>	<u>Location</u>
Evans, Aaron M.	F-9	8/19/24	Rader/ED Interv Spec	PSIS

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Joyce, Evan R.	D-7	8/19/24	Adams/ED Interv Spec	MES
Lambert, Taylor	C-0	8/19/24	TBD/Interv Spec	TBD
Owen, Danyelle A.	C-9	8/19/24	Wintering/Math	GCHS
Pierce, Kionna	C-0	8/19/24	TBD/TBD	Districtwide
Quickert, Aiden M.	E-1	8/19/24	Alkire/TESOL	FHHS
Turner, Kailyn	C-1	8/19/24	Grinstead/3rd Grade	WFES
Walls, Akira I.	C-0	8/19/24	Smith/Music	HCIS

2. Supplemental Contract Recommendation for Extended Time

The following teachers have been nominated for supplemental contract assignments for the 2024-2025 school year. In accordance with Section 3319.08 of the Ohio Revised Code, it is necessary that the Board formally employ and grant a supplemental contract to these persons, to be paid in accordance with the extended time and current adopted schedules.

<u>LOCATION/POSITION/NAME</u>	<u>DAYS EXTENDED TIME</u>
<u>BEULAH PARK MIDDLE SCHOOL</u>	
<u>Department Leader - Language Arts</u>	
Joseph, Jennifer L.	4 days
<u>NORTON MIDDLE SCHOOL</u>	
<u>Department Leader - Math</u>	
Boston, Rachel N.	4 days
<u>Department Leader - Social Studies</u>	
Stewart, Justina F.	4 days

3. Supplemental Contract Recommendations for Extra Duty

The following teachers have been nominated for supplemental contract assignments for the 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 school years. In accordance with Section 3319.08 of the Ohio Revised Code, it is necessary that the Board formally employ and grant supplemental contracts to these persons, to be paid in accordance with the current adopted salary schedule for supplemental duties. The Board of Education's obligation for these supplemental (Extra Duty) contracts is contingent upon the employee fulfilling the required certifications in the Board policy and State Board of Education Rules 3301-27-01 and 3301-27-02 and maintaining current certification in those areas.

[Extracurricular Contract Recommendations for Extra Duty 7.8.24.pdf \(171 KB\)](#)

4. Volunteer Coaches

It is recommended that the following volunteer coaches be approved as indicated in accordance with the Board's volunteer policy for the 2024-2025 school year.

<u>Norton Middle School</u>
Worster, Erica - Cross Country
<u>Grove City High School</u>
Donaldson, Gary E. - Girls' Tennis
Grice, Molly K. - Volleyball
Mayers, Mark C. - Football

5. Substitute Teachers

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In accordance with provisions of Section 3319.10 of the Ohio Revised Code, the following persons are nominated as substitute teachers for the 2024-2025 school year, in accordance with the salary schedule for substitutes adopted by the South-Western City Schools Board of Education. This employment is contingent upon subsequent receipt by the Board of a report from BCII which complies with the provision of ORC 3319.31 and 3319.39(B)(3). *Denotes SWCS retiree

Substitute Teachers:

Absten, Lauren E.	Gladden, Laura K.	Plaza, Patrick G.
Andrews, Teresa M.	Gordon, Melissa M.	Schnegg, Anne E.
Baker, Erin M.	Grabinski, Julia S.	Scott, Kelly K.
Basu, Suparna	Green, Chase H.	Shadid, Maisa R.
Baumgardner, Isaiah C.	Haynes, Jalen C.	Sherrill, Megan R.
Beavers, Jennah D.	Hickman, Krista D.	Sims, Brenda L.
Beca, Crystal J.	Isse, Yasmin G.	Smathers, Rachel A.
Bethel, Sharon K.	Jarvis, Ashley R.	Smith, Gary F.
Biddison-Kitsos, Lauren E.	Khiliutsich, Olga	Smith-Armstrong, Kelly A.
Buckerfield, Kathryn J.	Kounouzvelis, Cheryl L.*	Snyder, Daniel J.
Buskirk, Tammera L.*	Langen, Kevin E.*	Spillman, Ashley B.
Chieffo, Nicholas G.	Langhals, Amanda M.	Stitzlein, Lynn P.
Condon, Kevin J.*	Larsen, Larry P.	Stoll, Melissa N.
Corbett, Dale R.*	Lin, Madison Z.	Stultz, Kimberly F.
Cormany, Bradley W.*	Livingston, Justin T.	Sugar, Amanda N.
Counts, Leigh K.	Lute, Deanna M.	Sutinen, Sarah E.
Courtney, Mary E.	Malkowski, Emma N.	Torio, Sheila R.
Cremeans, Jack L.	Marques, Erinn R.	Underwood, Jonathan G.
Daniels, James C.	McIntire, Carolyn J.	Vance, Anna G.
Demana, Susan L.	Merchant, Quantazia	Ware, Abigail G.
DeWalt, Nicholas K.	Merchant, Quantez T.	Washington, Jennifer R.
Drobnick, Shelley J.*	Nelson, Andrea S.	Whiteman, Madyson R.
Eisnaugle IV, Preston L.	Norman, Jennifer L.	Wilcox, Carol J.
Fahy, Allison F.	Owen, Brianna N.	Wood, Judy J.
Ford, Amanda R.	Owens, Lori A.*	Yowell, Linda K.*
Fulton, Mary K.	Oxyer, Kristina N.	Zarach, Nicholas J.
Geddis, Collin H.	Phillips, Nancy J.	

6. Extended School Year Services

The following teachers are recommended for supplemental contracts for special education extended school year services for students during summer 2024. They will be paid per Section 1603.03 of the SWEA Bargaining Agreement, time sheets to be submitted.

Name

Bernard, Danielle M.	Graber, Barbara J.	McConnell, Rebecca L.
Brown, Stephanie R.	Grimm, Cheryl C.	Mullins, Erin K.
Bully, Cathlin D.	Henschen, Erin M.	Shelton, Jenny B.
Burgin, Cristine L.	Houle, Megan E.	Short, Jenny M.
Cole, Amy E.	Jackson, Devin D.	Walker, Ashton T.
Dennis, Mark T.	LeMaster, Sarah J.	Zeigler, Ryan C.

CLASSIFIED RESIGNATIONS

1. Resignations - Regular

Name

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Boeshansz, Patricia B.	BCES/Cook	8/18/24
Collins, Heidi Ann	HES/PS Sp Ed Aide	6/18/24
Hollingsworth, Amy L.	MES/Sp Ed Aide	8/16/24

The following employee has resigned the following position to accept a teaching position in South-Western City Schools:

Dailey, Bambi B.	Sp Ed Aide	8/18/24
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2. Resignations - Retirement

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location/Position</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Lyons, Steven R.	NMS/Custodian	7/31/24

CLASSIFIED CHANGES IN EMPLOYMENT STATUS

1. Change of Assignment/Hours/Days

<u>Name</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>	<u>Old Assignment/ Hours/Days/Location</u>	<u>New Assignment Hours/Days/Location</u>
Caldwell, Vicky L.	7/8/24	Activity Acct Clerk/204/WHs	DSC Secy/260/DSC

2. Request for Reinstatement from Leave of Absence

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location/Position</u>	<u>Date of Reinstatement</u>
Hardin, Douglas A.	RAES/Custodian	6/3/24
Lester, James E.	BCES/Custodian	6/10/24
Reed, Kenneth T.	FES/Cook	5/13/24

CLASSIFIED EMPLOYMENTS

1. Classified Substitutes

It is recommended that the following persons be approved for "on call" work on an hourly basis in the positions indicated, effective July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025. They will be paid the hourly rate indicated, time sheets to be submitted. This employment is contingent upon subsequent receipt by the Board of a report from BCI, which complies with the provisions of ORC 3319.31 and 3319.39(B)(3). It is understood that all requirements for operation of a school bus in the State of Ohio must be met before substitute bus drivers can be called to work.

Substitute Cooks - \$14.00 per hour (*SWCS Retiree - \$18.11 per hour)

Andrews, Kimberlea D.	Gabriel, Tammy L.	Ryan, Teri L.
Arthur, Dorothy A.	Hall, Jean M.	Skunza, Rhonda M.
Blakey, Gerry L.	Howiler, Ramona S.	Smith, Carole Ann*
Calvillo, Carina	Jones, Lisa M.	Stacy, Audrey G.
Conley, Margaret J.*	Lavelly, Wilma J.	Taylor, Margaret A.*
Danch, Judith A.	Layton, Penny K.	Wallace, Teresa L.
Denty, Norma J.*	McNamee, Carole A.	Wemlinger, Charles R.*
Duckworth, Melissa J.	Moore, Lori A.	Wolfe, Diane T.
Eigensee, Lauren L.	Noor, Amina A.	Wright, Sandra K.
Estep, Marilyn J.	Nutt, Heather A.	Yokum, Dalene L.*
Forrest, Donna F.	Pyatt, Carolyn L.	Young, Charles A.

Substitute Custodian - \$14.00 per hour (*SWCS Retiree - \$20.58 per hour)

Bruce, Terry Lee*	Conley, Joseph L.*	Golden, Christopher
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Hall, Shirley J.
Jackson, Cheley L.
Johnson, Dwight D.*

Morgan Jr., James
Myers Jr., Paul V.*
Patterson, Gerald R.*

Sheets, Gilbert L.
Thompson, James R.
Wolfe, Shannon T.

Substitute Clerical - \$14.00 per hour (*SWCS Retiree - \$20.16 per hour)

Brown, Eddina M.*
Evans, Vicki Jean*
Filbin, Barbara C.*
Haskell, Carol J.

Johnson, Judie L.
Repasy, DeEtta L.
Smiley, Larry G.
Thacker, Angela E.

Turner, Janet A.
Wolfe, Linda J.*

Substitute SED, DH, Bus Aide - \$15.84 per hour (*SWCS Retiree - \$19.49 per hour)

Aliff, Sharon L.*
Ames, Teresa G.*
Bronder, Brenda Lee*
Buttrick, Douglas J.
Dahmani, Meriem

Farley, Mary H.*
Grubb, Teresa B.*
Hall, Dennis K.
Leasure, Lisa A.*
McCune, Diane M.*

Petitti, Joanne *
Stewart, Joel E.
Swisher, Freda V.*
Thacker, Angela E.

Substitute Aide - \$14.00 per hour (*SWCS Retiree - \$19.49 per hour)

Aliff, Sharon L.*
Ames, Teresa G.*
Bronder, Brenda Lee*
Buttrick, Douglas J.
Dahmani, Meriem

Farley, Mary H.*
Grubb, Teresa B.*
Leasure, Lisa A.*
McCune, Diane M.*
Petitti, Joanne *

Stewart, Joel E.
Swisher, Freda V.*
Thacker, Angela E.

Substitute Fiscal Specialist – (SWCS Retiree - \$22.09 per hour)

Zeszotek, Sue R.*

2. Summer Casual Labor

The following classified personnel are recommended for casual summer work effective June 3, 2024. They will be paid per Section 803 of the OAPSE Bargaining Agreement, time sheets to be submitted.

Grounds

Hall, Dennis K.
Keener, Michael W.
Walls, Craig A.

Ms. Liskany seconded the motion.

Roll Call:

Mrs. D'Angelo Steele, Aye; Ms. Liskany, Aye; Mr. Boso, Aye.
Motion Carried

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION RELATIVE TO NON-AGENDA ITEMS

There was no public participation relative to non-agenda items.

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

1. Board Items

- a. Ms. Liskany thanked the teachers who worked summer school and the bus drivers who worked at the WABA parade.

24-117 Mrs. D'Angelo Steele moved that the meeting be adjourned

Ms. Liskany seconded the motion.

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Roll Call:

Mrs. D'Angelo Steele, Aye; Ms. Liskany, Aye; Mr. Boso, Aye.

Motion Carried

Meeting adjourned at 7:10 p.m.

Chris Boso
President

Hugh W. Garside, Jr.
Treasurer